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AGRICULTURE EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the total outlay for agriculture education in the country during the Ninth Five Year Plan;

(b) the allocations made for animal husbandry, fishery, agriculture and allied fields during the Ninth Plan, State-wise; and

(c) the details of expenditure incurred thereon during the last three years, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) The total outlay for agriculture education by Department of Agricultural Research and Education is Rs. 416.97 crore during the Ninth Five Year Plan.

(b) Though the state-wise funds are not allocated, the Sector-wise allocations are made for the Institutes/NRCs/PDs/AICRPs and World Bank and Externally Aided Projects which are located in various States and Union Territories.The Allocations made for animal husbandry, fishery, Agriculture and allied fields during the Ninth Plan by the Department of Agricultural Research and Education are given below:

(Rs. in crore)

Crop Science	616.81
Horticulture	264.24
Natural Resource Management	281.99
Agril. Engineering	128.57
Animal Science	348.44
Fisheries	157.72
Agricultural Economics and Statistics	18.84
Agricultural Extension	329.49
Agricultural Education	416.97
Management and Information System Including	
New initiative and Pipeline Project	144.91
Mini Mission on Cotton	30.00
World Bank/Externally Aided Projects	638.97
Total	3376.95

(c) Since the state-wise allocations are not made by the Department, the total expenditure incurred by research establishments during the last three years are as under :

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Plan	Non-Plan	AP Cess	Total
1997-98	323.01	351.04	21.32	695.37
1998-99	427.72	516.54	28.22	972.48
1999-2000	455.00	790.63	30.22	1275.85